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W. P. WALTON.

### CRAB ORCHARD, LINCOLN COUNTY.

The candy pulling at the college hall Monday night was quite a success and a very enjoyable occasion to the large crowd present.

Mr. H. B. Farris has accepted a clerkship in Mrs. Alice Wells' store at Junction City. We know of one sad heart occasioned by his departure.

We extend thanks to Mr. Arch Carson for the nice Xmas dinner sent to us. Among the other delicacies was a watermelon kept from last season in a perfect state of preservation.

Mr. James Adams has been quite sick for several days. Miss Lilla Doores is suffering greatly with a very badly bruised hand, caused by a heavy window sash falling upon it.

Mr. D. C. Payne and family have moved to their home on Stanford street. Mr. W. O. Hansford, who formerly occupied it, has moved to the house recently vacated by Mr. Jim Hutchison.

The Christian Sunday school presented Mr. John Bailey, superintendent, with a handsome edition of Milton's Paradise Lost and Regained, as a token of appreciation for his services as a zealous Sunday School Worker.

After more than a month's absence we again appear in the correspondent's column. Mr. Robert L. Davis will please accept our sincere thanks for the excellent manner in which he conducted the correspondence during our absence.

"Another year has gone and with it many a glorious throng of happy dreams," yet the INTERIOR JOURNAL still lives and its victorious banner floats wide upon the breeze. Mr. Editor, we sincerely wish that during the coming year it may be even more prosperous than even before.

On Xmas eve the fun loving crowd was not allowed to indulge in firing Roman candles, sky-rockets and so on in the streets, but on Xmas night the privilege was granted them and the old town was made right merry until 12 o'clock, when the festivities ended with a big bonfire.

There will be services at the Christian church next Sunday morning and night, conducted by Rev. J. Q. Montgomery. He has been employed to preach for the church once a month next year. He is an excellent preacher and all the members of the church are much pleased at having secured his services as pastor.

Mr. James Gilkerson, one of our citizens, but of Scotch affinity, after a sojourn of some months in the "lands of the mountains and the floods," has returned home. He seems to think it no ordeal to cross the rolling ocean, for this is his fourth or fifth visit to Scotland. He brought with him from the estates of the Duke of Glasgow, at Ballymoss, Ireland, a pair of Irish black reds and pair of Irish brown reds and presented them to Mr. Lucien Laseley.

Miss Cynthia Carson has gone to Somerset. Mrs. Rhoda Higgins and Miss Battle, from Greenwood, are spending the Xmas holidays with Mrs. Geo. H. King. Mrs. Ellen Saunders, of Westerville, Ohio, is visiting Miss Lou James and other relatives here. Mrs. Joe Coffey, of Danville, is mingling with old friends here. Misses Minnie Elliott and Van Winkle, from Kirkville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Elmiston. Miss Mand Pettus left this week for Somerset, where she will attend school. Mrs. Sophia Carson and Miss Lettie are visiting in Hustonville. Mr. Simon Gormley is shaking hands with old friends here. Miss Nannie Stephenson, of Richmond, is the guest of the Misses Ward. Miss Sallie Green is spending Xmas with friends in Somerset. Mr. Geo. Harris, the obliging clerk of the Harris House, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Bloer, in Louisville.

On Xmas eve there was a ladder at the Christian church and a tree at the college hall. The tree was not very big, but have heard it spoken of as being very pretty indeed. It was given for the benefit of the school children and was managed by Mrs. S. F. H. Tarrant. The ladder was presided over by Mrs. Joe Elphinstone, Misses Millie Brooks, Lura Doores and Ellen Ward and was one of the most beautiful Xmas designs we have ever seen, with the bright lamp lights lending an additional loveliness to the scene. On the wall on either side of the pulpit, in large letters, was the motto, "Peace on earth, good will to men." The ladies have been much complimented upon the tasteful arrangement of the many lovely and handsome presents that ornamented the ladder. One of the most handsome was a very large gilt edged, morocco-bound family bible presented to Mrs. W. M. O'Bryan by her husband. Messrs. John Bailey and P. J. Chandler called off the presents and they were distributed among the large audience by four lovely young ladies: Misses Irene Dillon, Nannie Kennedy, Annie Fish and Sabra Hays.

### GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT.

#### Lancaster.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday to Sam Hall and Miss Sallie McQuerry.

Misses Mary Annie Wilmore and Jessie Hemphill and Mrs. Wilmore were guests of Miss Mamie Olds this week.

Clay Gill, colored, got on a tear last Monday and tried to clean out that eyerore to our town, "Battle Row." He was arrested and fined \$5 and costs by the Police Judge.

Police court meets in solemn session to-day (Thursday) and promises to be quite well patronized. Several prominent citizens who were guilty of breaking the fire cracker ordinance are to be arraigned.

The delegation of young ladies and gentlemen who attended the hop at Stanford Tuesday night were completely charmed by the elegance of the affair and the courteous treatment they were made recipients of.

The condition of Joshua Aldridge, who was shot by Joseph Turner last Saturday night is much better and his physicians think now he may recover. Turner's trial has been postponed until Saturday and his bail fixed at \$750.

Messrs. Chas. and Ed. Sparks, of Nicholasville, are visiting their grandfather, Mr. Stephen Marrs. Capt. Mike Salter is down from the mountains, where he is stationed as gaffer, on a visit to friends. Miss Basie Bush, of North Middletown College, is spending the holidays at home.

It is astonishing to see how the once weak and lowly iron poker is coming to the front as a weapon for fighting purposes. Two fights have occurred in Lancaster since the beginning of the holidays and in each instance a poker was used by one of the combatants. The great difference in the length and thickness of the poker will never allow it to do much in the concealed weapon line, but in a grab what you can contest the poker is already making rapid strides toward the front.

A party was given by Steve Adams in Upper Garrard last Monday night. Among the guests were two desperate characters named George Gaffney and John Tankersley. These two worthies insisted on remaining after the other guests had taken their leave but were finally persuaded to go by Adams. Returning in a short time they began shooting at Adams with pistols, several of the shots taking effect in his breast. He will likely die. The two murderous assailants have not been arrested as yet. Adams is said to be a hard-working peaceable farmer. Gaffney and Tankersley live in that section of upper Garrard known as "The Bushes," and have bad reputations.

### LAND, STOCK AND CROP

For Rent—the Wm. Hays house and 30 acres of land. F. Reid.

Jerry Briscoe sold to John Allen 13 shipping cattle at 4 cents.

G. W. Bedford, of Bourbon, sold 100 head 1,700-pound cattle at \$4.25.

J. S. Owsley sold to Lehman & Bro., 70 head of 1,450 pound cattle at \$3.60.

Wanted—To buy stock fodder and straw. G. A. Swinebroad, Stanford, Kentucky.

For Sale—12 head of high grade fat cows. Apply to R. H. Bronaugh, Crab Orchard, Ky.

Corn at Midway brings \$1.70 per barrel delivered, 400 barrels being sold at that price last week.

Fifty tons of hay ready baled, and 27 Berkshire shoats, about half of their nice weight, for sale. John Bright.

William L. Walker, of Adair, sold to Robert Young 17 head of 3 and 4 year old males at \$80 and a fraction per head.—[Spectator.]

B. G. Gover and R. C. Nunnally bought of J. F. Gover 100 acres of land on the Millersville pike, adjoining Adam Carpenter's, at \$50.

Lee, Hudson & Co. bought in Marion county 15 head of good cotton mules, from 14 to 15 hands high, at prices ranging from \$65 to \$115.—[Standard.]

There were 500 cattle on the Winchester market Monday, with good demand for feeders, which were very scarce. The bulk of cattle sold at from \$3.60 to \$3.80; yearlings brought from \$25 to \$30 per head; 25 1,000 pound feeders, \$35.25; 15 1,000-pound smooth feeders, \$37.74.

J. H. A. Judy bought of D. A. Gay 50 cattle, weight 1,450 pounds, at \$3.75 per cwt. Goff & Anderson sold to W. B. Kidd 61 1,425 pound cattle at 34 cents. Mrs. Leonard Rankin sold a turkey gobbler last week which weighed 46 pounds net. This is the largest turkey that we have ever heard of. It brought 10 cents per pound.—[Winchester Democrat.]

A. E. Hundley has purchased of his father 133 acres of land on the Danville pike, midway between here and Danville, at about \$64, and 140 acres of Dr. Logan, adjoining, at same price. This gives him a solid farm of 375 acres and the character of the land can be formed when it is told that he refused an offer of \$12 per acre rent for 100 acres to go in hemp.

Mrs. Polly Jackson, a lady ninety years of age, living near Owsingsville, left alone in her room, had her clothing to catch fire, and received such injuries as caused her death.

### DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY

Mr. John C. Breckinridge Harman and Miss Mary H. Minor, daughter of William Minor, all of the west, obtained marriage license Wednesday.

A masquerade party given by the matron and teachers of the Deaf and Dumb Institute to the pupils thereof Wednesday night was a source of great enjoyment to those concerned. To night in the chapel of the Institute "Ten nights in a bar room" will be presented for the entertainment of the mutes.

Mr. Thomas Embry, of Fayette, shipped to day to Camilla, Ga., a car load of cotton mules and left for that point himself on the 11:25 A. M. train. Hase & Hindman bought this morning of Logan Caldwell 22 turkeys that averaged 15 1/2 lbs. each. Lee, Hudson & Co. shipped this week to Atlanta, Ga., 24 cotton mules and horses.

Mr. Felix G. Fox, who has been visiting his father's family, will leave tomorrow (Friday) for his home in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hudson leave tomorrow for Louisville, where Mrs. Hudson will remain some time with her parents. From Louisville Mr. Hudson will go to Atlanta to remain until he disposes of stock his firm, Bruce, Lee & Hudson, have in that city. Mr. John S. Hoekins has moved into his new house a mile north of town.

Mr. Robert Freeman, of Lexington, is in town soliciting subscriptions for the Detroit Free Press, which he says is a good fireproof paper. One big trouble he finds in the way of success in Danville is that when our leading citizens settle down by their firesides they like to have the INTERIOR JOURNAL close at hand and until they read that they want no other paper on the face of the globe. The ladies "just adore" the I. J., their only possible objection to it being that it won't make a first-class bustle.

Hor. M. J. Durham and wife left today for Louisville to remain until Saturday evening with Judge Durham's daughter, Mrs. Morris. They will leave Saturday night for Washington City. Mr. D. J. Foley, of Cincinnati, agent for Dr. Dawson, owner of the Clemens House, is in town. Hon. William H. Tarr and wife and Miss Bessie Tarr, of Wellsburg, W. Va., are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Noeland, wife of Rev. E. G. Noeland, of the Episcopal church. Cpl. John Cowan, of the Chattanooga bar, and Mr. Jewett Allen, a real estate dealer of the same city, are in town.

All sorts of unreasonable stories, evidently in the interest of prohibition, are kept afloat concerning the death of William Clarkson at Junction City on Christmas day, and everything short of wilful and malicious murder is charged on those who kept him company on that day. The facts seem to be these: Mr. Clarkson and a few friends got to drinking egg-nog and finished up on brandy and other liquors. There was no force as has been charged; there was no pressure of any sort; all drank, as men will sometimes do, especially on Christmas, and all drank to excess, and towards night Mr. Clarkson died. There is abundant evidence to show he was afflicted with heart disease and that he realized the fact himself. A reliable gentleman told your correspondent that he had been suffering very much with his heart for several days before his death and on the morning of that day, when perfectly sober, he said to his wife that his heart troubled him more than usual and that he felt he should at any time die suddenly, for her not to go to the useless expense of wearing mourning. But those interested in keeping up the bugaboo persistently lose sight of all this and continue to assert that Clarkson was killed by whiskey and whisky men.

### WAYNESBURG, LINCOLN COUNTY.

John Mosier bought of H. W. Caldwell one black horse 12 years old for \$100.

Rev. J. M. Cross, of Point Burnside, will preach at the Baptist church here the second Friday night in January.

George S. Carpenter, of Stanford, is here and the birds have a good chance to die for George looks would almost kill them if he don't use a gun.

Armstrong Stroud and Miss Lou Bryant, of Palaski county, came to this place and boarded the train, accompanied by F. S. Gooch and wife, and went to Chitwood, Tenn., and got married. The bride is a daughter of Dr. M. G. Bryant.

J. H. Reynolds arrived Xmas eve day from Kansas, where he has been making home for some time. Mr. Ebanks was with the writer Christmas. He and T. J. Padgett have gone on a visit to their girls in Palaski. W. C. Perkins and wife, of Lexington, are at Duch Gooch's. Sherman Singleton and wife are also here on a visit.

The Christmas tree at this place on the 24th at night was an entire success and everybody was pleased. Old Santa Claus was there with his full dress on. On his arrival everybody was tickled and the small boys could hardly hold themselves. The two trees placed in the new church were loaded down with presents. There was 700 presents on them ranging from dog knives to fine suits of clothes, accordions, violins, overcoats and almost anything one could imagine.

The Temple Theatre at Philadelphia, one of the finest in the country was burned. The loss is \$200,000.

### HUSTONVILLE, LINCOLN COUNTY.

The old inquiry, "Who struck Billy Patterson?" has been superseded by the question, "What hit Bill Adam?" This will probably never be answered.

We have had a continuous dew fall for several days, deposited in mist, but congealing as soon as it falls, and rendering highways and byways difficult and dangerous for navigation.

A letter from C. T. Armstrong, of Boyle, formerly of this county, mentions that he has about concluded to sell his farm. He has a beautiful and valuable farm near Perryville.

A happy New Year to you, Mr. Editor, and the salutations of the season to the staff, in and out of the office. A greeting, too, to the great host of readers who have learned to prize the JOURNAL.

Having barely survived the loss of paternal benediction pronounced by the editor over the fidelity of the three lucky ones, (one of whom is revelling amid the scenery of the Sunny South, and the other two having the fortune to live in localities that have always been fruitful in material for starting history) I hasten, like Jacob of old to crave a fragment of the blessing.

The truth is I sat up till midnight Saturday night, hearing the detonations of low flung artillery, and hoping for some casual worthy of the columns of the county paper but in vain. The youthful heirs apparent to the American presidency—the future Senators, and the embryo ministers plenipotentiary carried through their intellectual and appropriate celebration of the day without bloodshed. A promising fight bubbled up among the negroes in which several knock downs were encountered; but the breeze soon subsided without serious prejudice.

One of our most admired performers in a sensational drama recently produced in Cincinnati was a big bulldog, that at a critical point in the play came bounding out, seizing the villain by the throat, or thereabouts, hung on like grim death amid uproarious applause. The other night he grabbed his man as usual, but something gave way and the dog fell near the foot-light and then he stood there and calmly ate a big piece of liver, which had been fastened under the villain's throat and had hitherto been the incentive for the dog's exertion.

A lovely wife is dying. There was no lack of woman's nursing; no lack of husband's tears, as they stood at the bed while the fluttering soul lingered. Doubtless he loved her—in a manish way, but he was a man—still more, a Chicago man. At this moment he was struck with remorse, and he ejaculated, "Oh Julia, if you only lived I will be the best husband that ever was." Her expiring breath faintly exhaled "O Tom, that's too thin!"

John H. Craig, whose home is in Indiana, near Indianapolis, is six feet four and a half inches in height and weighs 336 pounds. He measures eight feet two inches around the hips and 18 inches around the ankle. He was born 30 years ago and then weighed but 11 pounds. Two years later he took a prize at one of Barnum's baby shows because he weighed 206 pounds. Apparently he has been growing ever since.

Two negroes were hung by a mob for murder near Vicksburg, Miss.

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Use Green Cough Balsam for coughs and colds. Price 50c. For sale by McRoberts & Stagg.

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Osgood's Golden Balm, sure cure for Catarrh at 50c; at McRoberts & Stagg's.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.  
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.  
When she became a Woman, she clung to Castoria.  
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

### FOR RENT.

I wish to rent my House and Lot on Upper Main Street, in Stanford, now occupied by Mr. W. M. Bogie, for the year 1887, commencing with January 1st, 1887.

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MRS. KATE HAYS,  
Stanford, Ky.

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B. G. ALFORD,  
Agent for J. R. Alford.

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Town Lot For Sale!

A representative of Mr. W. H. Anderson, I offer for sale privately his best brick house and lot of two acres on Somerset Avenue in Stanford. The place has all the necessary improvements and is a very desirable one. Call on or address me at Stanford in regard to it.

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W. P. WALTON.

THE old year which is rapidly passing in its checks has been a reasonably prosperous one in this section and on the whole has brought us less of sorrow than of joy. No epidemic disease has raged and fewer homes have been broken into by death than in any year for a long time. Locally we have much to be thankful for and generally the situation is not near so bad as it might be, though some sections, South Carolina and the Texas coast for instance, have terribly suffered. The year will pass into history as notable for the large number of deaths among our prominent men, but they had all reached nearly the allotted age of man and many of them attained to the highest rung of the ladder of fame. To-morrow we enter upon the untried and unknown vicissitudes of another year, hopeful for the best and trustful to the Giver of all good and perfect gifts. Let us make good resolves and keep them and striving always to do our full duty to God and man, make it a happy year indeed. To each of our patrons we extend the compliments of the season and wish them all a joyful realization of their proper ambitions and anticipations.

THE capture of the Adams Express robbers, who got off with \$40,000 of booty, with the connivance of Agent Frothingham, and the return of most of the money stolen, was the best piece of detective work ever accomplished by Pinkerton's Agency. They started on the smallest of clues, but succeeded in accomplishing their purpose after two months' hard work and frequent chases upon cold trails. Whitlock, the fellow who did the work, might have continued to enjoy his ill-gotten wealth, but his desire to become notorious led him to write to newspapers under the name of Jim Cummings and these letters with other points led to his capture.

JOHN BOSLEY does not mind giving an editorial friend away. Says he in his paper "French Tipton, of Richmond, was in town a few days ago drinking." The inference of course is to Tip's prejudice, but he certainly wasn't drinking whisky for he was alive and well yesterday and no man, unaccustomed to the "rotgut" of Winchester, could imbibe it and survive.

THE funeral of Gen. Logan will occur to day in the Senate Chamber at Washington. The procession will be under charge of Gen. Sheridan and it is said that many ex confederate soldiers will march in it. It is not decided at what point in Illinois the remains will finally rest but in the meantime they will be placed in Oak Hill Cemetery at Washington.

A LABORED reply to Judge Fox's letter exposing the republican scheme to ally the prohibition forces with their own rotten concern, appears over the signature of Gen. Fry. It is a weak mingling of self adulation, abuse of the Judge and defense of the g. o. p. which saved the country with the general's valuable assistance.

THE President spent his Christmas nursing rheumatic pains, instead of talking love to Frankie and making democrats happy by turning the rascals out. We hope the fine and fat old gentleman will be all right in a few days and start the new year resolved to have every office manned by democrats before March 4.

THE custom of speaking only good of the dead is a commendable one but it can be greatly overdone. Gen. Logan was a good man and honest as far as politicians go, but he was far from being the saint soldier and statesman the dailies would have us believe.

ANOTHER bond call has been issued. It is for \$10,000,000 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1882 and interest will cease on them after February 1. This is the way to reduce the present surplus and tariff taxes on necessities should be so reduced as to prevent an unnecessary accumulation in the future.

WE'LL bet on Gov. Oglesby being Senator Logan's successor. He is a Kentuckian by birth and is naturally lucky. He has filled the office once and been governor of Illinois two

THE death of Logan narrows down the probabilities of the republican nomination for President. Blaine or Sherman will be the nominee, with two to one in favor of the former.

We give on this and the fourth pages the chronological record of the year, which will be found very entertaining and valuable for future reference. It is up to the 26th and quite full so far as it goes.

## NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—The total amount of gold imported into the United States since August has been \$31,525,267.

—Jim Cummings, the express robber, has squeaked and given the whole gang away. His real name is Whitwick.

—By the burning of a boarding house boat on the West Alabama river two white men and ten negroes lost their lives.

—The will of John Q. A. Williams, died in the Suffolk county, Mass., probate court, bequeaths \$400,000 to Harvard College.

—Mr. Gladstone was 77 years old Wednesday, and was very much congratulated by telegraph. He is 20 years and a month older than Mr. Blaine.

—At Clinton, Ind., Albert Dean was examining a pistol, when it went off, the ball passing through his mother's heart, and she fell dead at his feet. He was on his Christmas visit to her.

—The Pinkerton Detective Agency has five men under arrest in Chicago charged with participation in the robbery of the Adams Express car when some \$60,000 was taken, and has turned up \$45,000.

—Representative Springer says he intends to secure, if possible, the passage by the present Congress of his bill admitting Dakota, Montana, New Mexico and Washington Territory into the Union as States.

—A subscription fund for Mrs. Logan was started in Washington and \$26,000 has been pledged. The Western Union Telegraph Company tendered the free use of its wires for the transmission of subscriptions.

—Jacob Bross, a Cass Co., Mo., farmer has in his orchard 950 bearing trees which yielded him 6,446 bushels of apples. Of these he kept 456 bushels for himself and sold 5,990 bushels for \$1,395.50 at an expense to himself of \$500.

—Capt. A. E. B. Sparrow, of London, Eng., committed suicide by shooting at Las Vegas, N. M., Hot Springs Wednesday. He had invested \$75,000 in a bogus cattle company and the loss of his money left him without means of support.

—Immediately on the reassembling of Congress a bill will be introduced granting a pension to Mrs. Logan, probably of \$5,000 per year, in recognition of the services of her husband as a soldier. Of course, that's the way the people's money goes.

—Near Cartersville, Georgia, Mary Simmonds, a 16 old girl, killed her stepfather with an ax, striking him a half dozen blows. He had attempted to criminally assault the girl in her mother's absence and when he was asleep she sought and obtained redress.

—Two young girls; a nice little wine supper in the room of two young men; a quarrel and separation while the girls were in a state of nervous tension because of the wine and the dispute; a box of rough on rats and two fair female forms lying in suicide's graves, form the plot of a Boston Christmas story, which is an old, old story, and only too true.—[Louisville Times.]

—Another of the finest boats on the Mississippi, the Anchor-line steamer, City of Natchez, and the Mississippi Valley Transportation steamer, R. S. Hayes, and four barges were burned at Cairo Tuesday morning, together with their rich cargoes. The boats and the barges were anchored at the wharf there and the fire originated in the Hayes. The total loss will aggregate a round million dollars, with \$80,000 insurance. No lives lost.

## A Passenger's Optical Illusion.

"Want to hear a strange case of optical illusion?" inquired Assistant Passenger Agent Whitney, of the Michigan Central railroad. "A few days ago a young man boarded one of our trains for Hyde Park. When near his destination he walked out upon the platform of the car and waited for the train to slacken its speed. As it did so the young man walked down the steps, only to find another train standing, as he supposed, on the opposite track. The train, however, was approaching at full speed, while his own train, which was now at the depot, was at a dead stop. The young man, however, imagined that it was his own train that was tearing along the rails, and, fearing that he would be carried past the town, braced himself for a leap in keeping with the 'speed' of his train. Just as the other train was about to rush by the young man made a terrific leap, and, as might be expected, landed on his back. A brakeman who had witnessed the amusing spectacle jumped from the train and rescued the bewildered man just as the other train swept past with a roar."—Chicago Herald "Train Talk."

## Ex-Premier Gladstone's Library.

Ex-Premier Gladstone has a library containing nearly 15,000 volumes. Works on theology are the most numerous. He also has large departments devoted to Shakespeare, Dante and Homer. "The great Florentine poet," by the way, whom he quoted on Monday, together with Aristotle, Bishop Butler and St. Augustine, are the four authors to whom Mr. Gladstone attributes the greatest formative influence on his own mind. Speaking recently of his books, the great statesman said: "If there is one thing I am valuer than another about it is my plan for stacking books. I can get more books in a given space than any man I know."—Chicago Times.

## A Mexican Floral Wonder.

A newly discovered Mexican flower is quite a wonder, if reports are true. It is said to be white in the morning, red at noon and blue at night; and is further credited with emitting perfume only at the middle of the day. It grows on a tree of the Isthmus of Tehuantepec.—Arkansas Traveler.

An English firm is filling a large order

## RECORD OF A YEAR.

Chronology of the Twelvemonth That is Just Past.

## A PERIOD OF PROGRESS.

Peace Prevails, Though There are Mutterings of War.

## Many Prominent Persons Pass Away.

The Labor Movement—Strikes—Riots. The George Campaign—The Land Movement in Ireland—The Eastern War Cloud—Disasters of all Sorts—Explosions—Railroad Accidents—The Criminal Record—Personal—Miscellaneous.

The year of our Lord 1886 has passed away. All hail to its successor, 1887!

The record here presented has become history. Its careful perusal will show that the departed twelvemonth will count for more than naught when the larger records, that are possible only after the lapse of time, are made up. Then the significance of many things now accounted trivial will be apparent. Then many circumstances now thought important will be found to be of small moment.

The year was a notable one in that the lives of many men of mark went out during its reign.

The labor movement developed in new and unlooked for directions.

The elections of November were full of surprises for men of all parties.

Across sea, England, after a long period of indecision, finally made up her mind in regard to the Irish question, and in December adopted strong coercive measures.

Upon the continent of Europe there was a continual agitation during the whole year, which reached the maximum when Alexander was deposed from Bulgaria's throne. Peace still prevails, but war would not at any time be unexpected.

Disasters followed each other closely the whole year over. The earthquakes in the Sandwich Islands, in Spain and in America, and storms of unusual violence at sea, were especially noteworthy. For details of all this, and much more, the reader is referred to what follows.

## THE YEAR'S NECROLOGY.

Death Loves a Shining Mark, Indeed, When These Are Called Away.

## JANUARY.

5. J. B. Lippincott, the publisher, died at Philadelphia.

17. Miss Katherine Bayard, eldest daughter of the secretary of state, found dead in her room.

26. David R. Atchison died in Clinton county, Missouri. He was the only man who ever enjoyed the distinction of having been president of the United States for a single day.

31. Mrs. Thomas F. Bayard, wife of the secretary of state, died at Washington.

## FEBRUARY.

2. Gen. David Hunter, U. S. A., died at Washington.

3. Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock, U. S. A., candidate for the presidency in 1880, died at Governor's island, New York harbor.

Born at Montgomery Square, Pa., Feb. 14, 1824.

12. Hon. Horatio Seymour, one of the "war governors" of New York state, and Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1868, died at Utica. Born in Onondaga county, N. Y., 1810.

17. John B. Gough, temperance lecturer, died at Philadelphia, Pa. Born at Sandgate, England, 1817.

## MARCH.

8. Hon. John F. Miller, United States senator from California, died at Washington in 1854 year.

9. Jerome B. Chaffee, ex-United States senator from Colorado, died at Salem Center, N. Y., aged 69.

12. Dr. Austin Flint, of New York city, died, aged 73.

16. Capt. James J. Waddell, who commanded the Confederate ship Shenandoah during the civil war, died at Annapolis.

## APRIL.

5. Ex-Chief Secretary for Ireland, Right Hon. William E. Forster, died in London, aged 63.

10. Hon. John Welsh, ex-minister to England, died at Philadelphia, aged 81.

12. Thaddeus Fairbanks, the great scale inventor, died at St. Johnsbury, Vt., aged 90.

13. Charles Humphrey Noyes, founder of the Oneida community, died at Niagara Falls, aged 74.

18. Samuel Low, the English publisher, died at London, aged 69.

20. Lionel Tennyson, son of the poet laureate, died on board ship on the voyage home from Calcutta, aged 32.

27. Henry H. Richardson, architect, died at Brookline, Mass., aged 47.

## MAY.

1. Bishop Charles Franklin Robertson, of the diocese of Missouri, died at Charleston, S. C., aged 51.

17. George Wood, formerly manager of Wood's museum, Philadelphia, and several other places of amusement, died at New York. He was penniless at the time of his death. The Actors' fund buried him at Greenwood.

21. Dr. Dio Lewis died in Yonkers, aged 63.

22. Gen. Durbin Ward died in Lebanon, O., aged 67.

33. Leopold von Ranke, the German historian, died in Berlin, aged 91 years.

20. Mrs. Alice Pendleton, wife of ex-Senator George H. Pendleton, of Ohio, leaped from a carriage in Central park while the horses were running away and was killed.

## JUNE.

1. Hon. John Kelly, leader of the Tammany Hall Democracy, died in New York city. Born in New York April 20, 1823.

7. Richard M. Hoe died in Florence, Italy, aged 74.

18. Edwin Percy Whipple, author, died in Boston, aged 67.

19. Hon. Charles Augustus Hobart (Robert Fash), marshal of the Turkish empire, died at Milan, Italy, aged 63.

22. Moses A. Dow, proprietor of The Waverly Magazine, died at Charlestown, Mass., aged 76.

26. Ex-United States Senator David Davis died at Bloomington, Ill. Born in Cecil county, Md., March 9, 1815.

## JULY.

6. Paul H. Hayne, "the bard of South Carolina," died at Copse Hill, Ga., aged 58.

8. The archbishop of Paris, Joseph Hippolyte Guibert, died in Paris, aged 83.

16. Col. Edward Z. C. Judson ("Red Bull") died at Stamford, N. Y., aged 64.

26. Hubert O. Thompson, the leader of the New York County Democracy, died in New York city; born in Boston, Dec. 14, 1843.

31. Abbe Franz Liszt, the Hungarian pianist and composer, died at Baireuth, aged 64.

## AUGUST.

4. Samuel J. Tilden, ex-governor of New York state and Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1876, died at Greystone, Yonkers. Born Feb. 9, 1814.

10. John W. Stevenson, ex-governor of Kentucky, died in Covington, Ky., aged 73.

11. Dr. Frank H. Hamilton, surgeon, died in New York city, aged 73.

16. The widow of Gen. Santa Anna, Signora Dolores Fosta, died at Mexico city.

20. Mrs. Ann S. Stephens, novelist, died at Newport, R. I., aged 73.

## SEPTEMBER.

4. Gen. Lloyd Aspinwall, died at Bristol, R. I., aged 51.

4. Gen. B. F. Cheatham, died at Nashville, Tenn., aged 64.

4. Samuel Morley, philanthropist, died in London, England, aged 77.

15. The Very Rev. Father Whitty, vicar-general of the diocese of Scranton, Pa., died, aged 62.

21. James Howe, founder of Wilkes' Spirit of the Times, died in Lafayette, Ind., aged 79.

## OCTOBER.

10. James A. Grinstead, noted turfman, died at Lexington, Ky.

12. Rear Admiral Edward T. Nichols, U. S. N., died at Pomfret, Conn.

13. Judge John J. Key, died at Washington, aged 69.

24. Gen. John Rodman, of Frankfort, Ky., ex-attorney general of the state, died at Louisville in his 67th year.

26. Mrs. Cornelia Mitchell Stewart, widow of the merchant prince, A. T. Stewart, died at New York, aged 83 years.

## NOVEMBER.

18. Chester Alan Arthur, twenty-first president of the United States, died at New York city. Born Oct. 5, 1830, at Fairfield, Franklin county, Vt.

20. Hon. John Arnot, Jr., member of congress, died at Elmira, N. Y.

21. Charles Francis Adams, son of ex-President John Quincy Adams, died at Boston. Born at Boston, Aug. 18, 1807.

23. H. M. Hoxie, first vice-president of the Missouri Pacific railroad and a prominent figure in the great strike, died at New York, aged 55.

24. Francis Palmes, of Detroit, died. He left an estate valued at \$15,000,000.

25. Erastus Brooks, the well known newspaper man, died at West New Brighton, S. I. Born at Portland, Me., Jan. 31, 1815.

## DECEMBER.

6. James A. Wales, the cartoonist, died suddenly in a New York restaurant. Mr. Wales was 36 years of age.

8. John E. Owens, the comedian, died near Towson, Md. Born in England, April 2, 1819.

26. Gen. John Alexander Logan, United States senator from Illinois, died at Washington. Born Feb. 9, 1836, in Murphysboro, Ill.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Matters of Interest Regarding People of Prominence.

March 4.—Archbishop Gibbons made Cardinal.

March 23.—Secretary of the Treasury Manning prostrated by a severe attack of paralysis from which he did not recover till fall.

April 29.—Ex-President of the Confederacy Jefferson Davis lays the corner stone of the Confederate monument at Montgomery, Ala. June 2.—At the White House, Washington, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, was married to Miss Frances Folsom, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. Sunderland.

June 19.—Archibald Forbes, the famous war correspondent, was married at Washington, to Miss Louise Meigs, daughter of Gen. M. C. Meigs, U. S. A.

Aug. 16.—President and Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Folsom started for the Adirondacks on their summer vacation.

Sept. 14.—George J. Gould, son of millionaire Jay Gould, married to Miss Edith Kingston, an actress, at Mr. Gould's summer residence, Irvington-on-the-Hudson.

Oct. 10.—Hon. S. S. Cox, who has resigned his position as minister to Turkey, arrived at New York from the Orient.

Dec. 13.—Gen. Miles, U. S. A., was charged by the secretary of war, in his annual report, with disobedience of orders in having accepted the surrender of the Apaches.

Dec. 13.—Rev. Dr. McGlynn, of New York city, suspended by Archbishop Corrigan from exercising the functions of a priest. This was because of the active part Father McGlynn took in the Henry George campaign.

Dec. 15.—Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, recently arrived in America, sails from New York in response to a telegram paid to be from the king of Belgium.

## EARTHQUAKES TO SPARE.

Shakes Reported from all Parts of the World.

Jan. 15. Alarming subterranean disturbances occurred in Guatemala.

June 10. An earthquake and volcanic eruptions of terrific proportions occurred in New Zealand. One village was wiped out of existence, hundreds of persons killed, and the entire side of the mountain of Tarawera was blown out.

Aug. 23. Six hundred persons killed and several towns destroyed by an earthquake in the islands of the Grecian archipelago.

Aug. 23. The steamer Daniel Drew was burned at Kingston Point, N. Y.

Aug. 31. Severe earthquake shocks experienced throughout the eastern part of the United States, and as far west as Chicago, which culminated at Charleston, S. C., where sixty-one persons were killed and millions of property destroyed. Shocks continued for months in the vicinity of Charleston.

Oct. 15. Earthquakes are reported at Apia, Niuafon island, one of the Tonga group. One hundred severe shocks were felt and a "dancing mountain" is said to have risen 30 feet into the air, from the lake.

Oct. 14. Slight shocks of earthquake were felt in Lower Alsace, Germany.

Nov. 23. Earthquake destroys the dam of the cotton mill at Langley, S. C. Three hundred persons were thrown out of work in consequence.

## DOMESTIC MISCELLANY.

Matters in America That Will be of Interest.

Aug. 2.—By the conditions of the will of the late Samuel J. Tilden, \$3,000,000 are set aside for a free library for New York city. Tilden's nephews afterward began a contest.

Aug. 18.—The Irish National League convention, held in Music hall, Chicago.

Sept. 4.—Geronimo, the Apache chief, surrenders to Gen. Miles, near Fort Bowie, Arizona.

Oct. 28.—Bartholdi's statue of "Liberty Enlightening the World," unveiled at Bellerose Island, New York. The sculptor, M. Bartholdi, Count Ferdinand de Lesseps and many other distinguished guests present.

Nov. 17.—In the Moen-Wilson blackmail case at Boston the jury render a verdict for the defendant.

Dec. 23.—Considerable alarm is felt in Western Pennsylvania over the reported decrease in the flow of natural gas.

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## THE POLITICAL WORLD.

### FORTUNES OF WAR FOR STATESMEN OF THE PRESENT TIME.

**Delays of the National Legislature—Result of November's Elections—European Political Movements—The Irish Question—The Eastern War Cloud.**

**JANUARY.**  
15. Senator Hoar's presidential succession bill passed by the house. Next day signed by the president.  
16. Bill of the late Vice-President Hendricks pronounced in the senate.

**FEBRUARY.**  
18. The bill reinstating Gen. Fitz John Porter passed by the house.  
23. The Gen. Grant monument bill, appropriating \$250,000 for a monument to be erected in Washington, passed by the United States senate.

**MARCH.**  
1. President Cleveland sent a message to the senate in which he denied the right of that branch of the government to demand from the president or any member of his cabinet any papers relating to the causes leading to the suspension or removal of officeholders, and declaring that such documents are personal and private and not official.  
5. Blair educational bill, appropriating \$70,000,000 for schools, passed the senate.  
15. Brig. Gen. A. H. Terry promoted to a major generalship, vice Gen. Hancock, deceased.  
16. Half a million appropriated for congressional library.

**APRIL.**  
22. The president, in a message to congress, recommended the formation of a commission of labor for the settlement of differences arising between capital and labor.  
19. "Three months" pension bill was passed by the senate.  
20. Caleb W. West appointed governor of Utah, vice Murray, resigned.

**MAY.**  
3. Bill taxing oleomargarine five cents a pound passed the house.  
4. The Chinese indemnity bill passed the senate.  
7. House passed bill repealing the timber culture, desert land and pre-emption laws, materially modifying the old homestead law.  
17. Tariff bill killed in the house.

Senate adopted the resolution providing for the submission to the different states of the Union a constitutional amendment changing the beginning of the presidential and congressional year from March 4 to April 20.  
18. Senator Vance's bill to repeal the civil service law shelved by the United States senate.  
21. Extradition treaty with Japan ratified by the senate. Also treaty providing for new survey of the United States-Mexico boundary line.

Senate passed the Fitz John Porter bill.  
25. President Cleveland vetoed seventy-one bills, most of them relating to individual pensions.

**JULY.**  
20. Bill taxing oleomargarine two cents a pound passed the senate; house concurred Aug. 3.  
23. The senate refuses to order an investigation of the charges of fraud alleged to have been committed in connection with the election of United States Senator Payne, of Ohio.

Bill granting increased pensions to soldiers of the late war who were wounded in the hand, foot, arm or leg passed the house.  
5. First session of the Forty-ninth congress adjourned.

Cutting was released from prison by the Mexican supreme court. The Cutting episode nearly caused a fight between the United States and Mexico.

**SEPTEMBER.**  
23. Henry George nominated for mayor of New York city by the workingmen.

**OCTOBER.**  
11. The Tammany Hall and County Democracy factions united upon Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, who was unanimously nominated for mayor of New York city.

15. Theodore Roosevelt nominated for mayor by the Republicans of New York city.  
19. Hon. George F. Edmunds re-elected United States senator from Vermont.

**NOVEMBER.**  
2. The New York city municipal election excited national interest on account of the novel issues raised. Hewitt, Democrat, was elected mayor, receiving about 90,000 votes and having a plurality of 22,000 over Henry George, who, in turn, beat Roosevelt by 7,000. The state elections resulted in a series of local surprises for both parties. William E. Harrison, of Illinois, was elected governor, defeating Frank H. C. Sullivan, of Ohio. Carlisle, of Kentucky, and W. M. Springer, of Illinois, narrowly escaped, while H. G. Burleigh, of Whitehall, N. Y., was beaten by the labor candidate, E. W. Greenman, who was nominated only forty-eight hours before election and was endorsed by the Democrats. Gen. Beaver (Rep.) was elected governor of Pennsylvania. Five additional Republican congressmen were elected in the south. In Minnesota the Democrats gain three congressmen. In Kentucky the Republicans succeeded in electing three congressmen. Charges of fraud were made on both sides in Indiana.

**DECEMBER.**  
6. The second session of the Forty-ninth congress begins.  
8. The president lays before congress the correspondence with the Canadian government relating to the fisheries trouble.  
9. The senate passes the electoral count bill.  
10. The senate lays the bill providing for open executive session on the table.  
11. The senate votes to repeal the tenure of office act.  
20. The house, by a vote of 154 to 143, refused to consider the Morrison tariff bill.

**IN OTHER LANDS.**  
**Outline of Political Movements in Foreign Countries.**

**JANUARY.**  
1. Burmah was formally annexed to the British empire.  
7. New French cabinet formed, with M. De Freycenet at its head.

14. A decree of amnesty to persons convicted of political offenses since 1870 was signed by President Grevy, of France.  
21. British parliament opened by the queen in person.

23. An amendment to the queen's address, introduced by Mr. Collins, in which request was expressed that no measures had been suggested for the amelioration of the condition of the Irish tenantry, was passed by a close vote after an excited and very personal debate.

27. The Salisbury ministry tendered its resignation, which was accepted a few days later.

**FEBRUARY.**  
3. Gladstone and his ministry assumed charge of the affairs of state.  
8. Gladstone announces his new cabinet and dismisses his Irish policy.

**MARCH.**  
2. Servia and Bulgaria signed a treaty of peace at Bucharest.  
27. A sensation was created in British political circles by the withdrawal from the

cabinet of Messrs. Chamberlain and Trevelyan, who were succeeded by Mr. James Stansfeld and the Earl of Dalhousie.

31. The reichstag prolonged the anti-Socialist law two years.

**APRIL.**  
6. Prince Alexander of Bulgaria was recognized as life governor of Eastern Roumelia by all the powers, except Russia.

7. The Russian landtag passed the bill confining all lands in Russia belonging to Poles, and providing for the colonization of the province with Germans.

21. Greece was ordered by the powers to disarm within eight days. Returning an equivocal answer, the foreign ministers, on May 6, announced their intention of leaving Athens. May 9 the foreign fleets blockaded the sea coast, and the ministry at once resigned. Three days later a new ministry was formed by M. Valvis, who assumed the leadership.

23. The Spanish senatorial elections resulted in a sweeping victory for the Ministerialists.

**MAY.**  
21. New Greek ministry formed by M. Tricoupis.

**JUNE.**  
13. Ludwig II, deposed and insane king of Bavaria, committed suicide by drowning in Lake Starnberg. His physician, Dr. Guden, lost his life in an effort to rescue his sovereign.

23. A decree of banishment was issued against the French princes, all of whom immediately left France.

**JULY.**  
20. Complete returns of the British parliamentary elections are all in. The figures show: Conservatives, 316; Union Liberals, 78; Madstone Liberals, 101; Parnellites, 85—giving a clear Unionist majority of 118.

21. Mr. Gladstone's retirement from the government accepted by the queen. Lord Salisbury was at once summoned by the queen, and formed a new ministry, which assumed the reins of government Aug. 3.

23. A resolution to emancipate at an early date the 20,000 slaves remaining in Cuba passed the Spanish chamber of deputies unanimously.

**AUGUST.**  
1. The Republicans of France won an overwhelming victory in the general elections.  
21. Prince Alexander of Bulgaria was forced to abdicate. He, however, returned soon afterward and was again crowned.

**SEPTEMBER.**  
4. Prince Alexander of Bulgaria was compelled by the czar of Russia to abdicate again.

10. Tories express great dissatisfaction at the action of Gen. Redvers Buller, who was sent to Ireland to investigate the workings of the land laws.

15. The Russian general, Baron Kaubars, was appointed Russian diplomatic agent at Sofia.

31. Mr. Parnell's Irish land bill was defeated in the British house of commons.

33. The British parliament was prorogued by the queen until Nov. 11.

**NOVEMBER.**  
9. Lord mayor's day at London. No disturbances of moment occurred, the Socialists having been refused permission to assemble.

**DECEMBER.**  
15. The British government has announced its intention of issuing a proclamation inviting the Irish National League an illegal conspiracy.

At Loughras, Ireland, John Dillon, the Irish leader, with three others, arrested for collecting rents under the League's plan of campaign. Mr. Dillon is roughly handled by the police and is remanded for one week.

16. The territory along the entire African coast, between Kiptini and Lamsa, ceded to Germany.

**THE WORLD OF SPORTS.**  
Events of Interest to Persons who Admire Athletics.

Feb. 3.—Jack Fogarty was knocked out by Jack Dempsey, in twenty-six rounds, at New York city, for \$5,000 and the middleweight championship. Feb. 16.—Jimmie Smith and Alf Greenfield, both English, fought thirteen rounds near Chantilly, France. The referee decided it a draw. March 14.—Jack Dempsey whipped George LeBlanche, the "Marine," at Larchmont, N. Y. The result of the fight left Dempsey the undisputed middleweight champion of the United States.

March 23.—Tommy Warren defeated Tommy Barnes for the featherweight championship of the world, at Mill Creek, forty-five miles from Louisville, Ky. In four rounds. July 5.—Peter J. Nolan beat Jack Burke, the "Irish Lad," in eight rounds at Chester park, Cincinnati.

July 31.—Charles Kilrain defeated Jack Ashton, the wood park, Brooklyn. Sept. 16.—John L. Sullivan defeated Frank Hatch for the championship of the United States at the Casino, New York. Oct. 20.—Johnny McLaughlin, Brooklyn, defeated Billy Fraser, of Somerville, Mass., at Boston, for the lightweight championship. Nov. 13.—Paddy Ryan was knocked out by John L. Sullivan at the Casino, New York. Nov. 18.—Paddy Ryan was knocked out by John L. Sullivan at the Casino, New York. Nov. 18.—Paddy Ryan was knocked out by John L. Sullivan at the Casino, New York.

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## THE LABOR MOVEMENT.

### STRIKES THAT RESULTED FOR GOOD OR FOR ILL.

**The Demand for Eight Hours—The Big Strike in Chicago and the Anarchist Bomb Throwers—Big Packing House Strikes—Street Railway Tie Ups.**

**JANUARY.**  
6. Great strike and lockout of the engineers of the elevated railroad system of New York city. Travel was almost entirely suspended for a day or two.  
20. A riot occurred at Mount Pleasant, Pa. The police and the Hungarian strikers had a collision, in which several of both parties were injured.

23. Six thousand glove makers of Johnstown and Gloversville, N. Y., struck for higher wages. The strike was not of very long duration.

**FEBRUARY.**  
5. The employees of the New York, Seventh avenue, Fourth avenue, Sixth avenue and Broadway surface roads strike successfully for a reduction of hours.

**MARCH.**  
3. Brooklyn street car lines all "tied up."  
5. General tie up of the street railroads of New York city. It required 750 policemen to force a car through Grand street, where a great crowd had assembled.

6. Five hundred men, Knights of Labor, employed in the Missouri Pacific railroad shops at St. Louis, quit work at the blowing of the noon whistle. One thousand other employees who were also Knights also struck. The freight business of the road is paralyzed.

7. Secret meeting held at St. Louis, at which the passenger engineers, brakemen, switchmen and firemen of the Missouri Pacific system decided to join the freight handlers' and carshop strike. Accordingly none of them reported for work, and 6,000 miles of road lie. Immense freight blockades.

8. Employees of the Troy and Lansingburgh street railroad at Troy, N. Y., struck for fewer hours of work. Demands granted.

9. Five thousand employees of the "Gould" railroad system were discharged on the Missouri Pacific.

10. Vice-President H. M. Hoxie, of the Missouri Pacific railroad, declines to confer with the Knights of Labor or a committee from the strikers.

12. Hoxie has a conference with Governors Maine and Martin at St. Louis.

23. Jay Gould accepted a proposal for arbitration. Mr. Powderly orders the men to work.

29. The district assemblies K. of L. refuse to obey Powderly's order, and instruct the Missouri Pacific strikers not to resume work.

31. Martin Irons issues a general order to the Knights to resume work on the Missouri Pacific.

31. Six hundred and fifty morocco workers of Wilmington quit work.

31. Strike of Cohoes spinners ended. About 7,000 persons affected.

**APRIL.**  
1. The strike on the Gould roads has been resumed on account of the refusal of the company to reinstate all the strikers.

3. "Bloody Saturday" at Fort Worth, Texas. Strikers resist the movement of trains, firing a volley of Winchester rifles into a posse of deputy sheriffs, killing one and mortally wounding two others. The officers replied with revolvers killing one striker.

5. Mr. Powderly formally recalls his order to the Missouri Pacific strikers to resume work.

9. Deputy sheriffs in East St. Louis fire into a crowd, killing seven persons, only one of whom was a striker.

14. Powderly makes an appeal to Gould for the settlement of the southwestern strike. Gould replies, justifying his action and refusing to grant the request of the Knights for arbitration.

16. A general tie up ordered in the New York City Third Avenue street car line.

17. Martin Irons, the leader in the great southwestern strike is, with three others, indicted by the grand grand jury at St. Louis, for tampering with telegraph wires.

18. Widow Landgraf boycotted in New York city for employing non-union bakers.

19. The Third Avenue street car strikers, New York city, wreck a car and have a short but savage fight with the police.

20. The grand jury at New York city street railroads is off, with the exception of the Third Avenue line.

20. Trains are running without molestation on the Gould roads, although the strikers still profess to be confident of ultimate success.

20. The house committee at Washington begins its investigation of the strike on the Gould roads. It was continued for some time.

22. Sugar house employees at Williamsburg, N. Y., on strike for an increase of wages.

26. Thirty-five members of the New York Tailors' union indicted by the grand jury for boycotting.

27. The striking operatives of the Missouri Car company have resumed work. The Baltimore street car strike has also come to an end.

27. The Third Avenue street car strikers, New York city, put on free coaches for the accommodation of persons who would otherwise be compelled to ride in the cars.

30. Chairman O'Donnell, Secretary Best, and Graham, Hughes and Downing, of the Empire Protective association, indicted by the grand jury at New York for ordering the tie up of the Third Avenue cars.

**MAY.**  
1. Chicago trades unions demand a uniform working day of eight hours, without reduction of wages. The same demands are made in many other cities.

1. Forty thousand men in Chicago go on strike for eight hours. Strikes for similar cause are general all over the country.

4. An attempt by the Chicago police to disperse a meeting of Anarchists was followed by a riot in which a dynamite bomb was thrown by the Anarchists among the police, killing six and wounding sixty-one.

5. Rioters fired upon and several killed by the state militia at Milwaukee, Wis.

6. More shooting occurred at Chicago between the police and Anarchists, and leading rioters were arrested.

6. Milwaukee rioters indicted.

6. The pianomakers of New York have abandoned their demand for a reduction to eight hours a day.

10. Big strike at Chicago ended.

19. About 15,000 girls, employees of the Troy, N. Y., collar and cuff factories, locked out by the manufacturers on account of the strike of the laundry girls at George P. Ide & Co.'s establishment.

24. Eight thousand tailors locked out by the Boss Tailors' union, New York city.

**JUNE.**  
2. John Most, convicted of inciting to riot, was sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor for one year and to pay a fine of \$500 at New York.

3. The convention of Knights of Labor, at Cleveland, closed. The differences with the trade unions were not satisfactorily adjusted.

4. Female members of the families of the striking Chicago railroad men stop trains by standing upon the tracks.

5. Fourteen thousand horse car men, of

New York, Brooklyn and Long Island City, quit work.

6. The Empire Protective association gives up the fight against the Third Avenue road.

12. At the meeting of the Brotherhood of Telegraphers, at Kansas City, it was decided to join the Knights of Labor.

25. The Lake Shore switchmen at Chicago, on strike, became very demonstrative; a train of cars thrown off the track.

**JULY.**  
31. Union employees of fourteen New York cigar factories locked out.

8. The men who distributed boycott circulars referring to the Widow Landgraf's bakery were convicted at New York, before Judge Barrett, and sentenced to terms of imprisonment from ten to thirty days.

28. The National Cigar makers' union withdrew from the Knights of Labor.

**AUGUST.**  
16. The cigarmakers of New York, who had been on strike for some time, determined to resume work.

20. The eight Chicago Anarchists who were on trial for the Haymarket riot and bomb throwing were convicted. Spies, Schwab, Fielden, Parsons, Fischer, Engel and Ling were sentenced to death. Neobe got fifteen years in prison.

23. Broadway surface road tied up. The tie up was of short duration.

**SEPTEMBER.**  
4. Three hundred and thirty plumbers locked out in New York city because of a difference between them and the bosses over the apprenticeship rule.

6. Monster parade and demonstration of trade unionists and their sympathizers in New York city.

13. One thousand sailors struck at San Francisco owing to differences with the ship agents.

15. All the laborers and mechanics of Charleston, S. C., struck for an increase of wages which was denied. The men thereupon resumed work.

23. Four hundred and fifty brownstone rubbers struck in New York city against the employment of a non-union man.

**OCTOBER.**  
4. Armour's beef men were ordered to quit work.

7. Eight thousand pork packers of Chicago struck for eight hours.

7. The general assembly of the Knights of Labor organized at Richmond and admitted the Home club.

16. The morocco workers of Wilmington, who have been on strike for seven months, have returned to work.

17. Lucy Parsons, wife of one of the condemned Chicago Anarchists, began a series of addresses in New York and vicinity in behalf of her husband and his colleagues.

18. The great strike of the Chicago packing house workmen is at an end, the men having agreed to return to work on the ten hour plan.

20. National assembly of the Knights of Labor, at Richmond, N. Y., was adjourned sine die. Grand Master Workman Powderly's salary was increased to \$5,000 from \$1,500. Other salaries raised accordingly.